

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1648 - SB 1763**

March 4, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Increases, from \$50 to \$500, the fine for the Class C misdemeanor of disorderly conduct at a funeral.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Article VI, Section 14 gives the defendant the right to a jury trial for a charged offense punishable by a fine greater than \$50. No significant increase in jury trials from increasing the maximum fine to \$500.
- There will be no additional prosecutions. Fines are infrequently collected. State and local government will not receive any significant additional revenue from increasing the fine.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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